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The public comment period for the draft 2003 Countywide Integrated Waste Management Plan (2003 CoIWMP) opened on August 23, 2003. On September 17, 2003, the Sonoma County Waste Management Agency (SCWMA) held a public hearing to accept comments on the draft 2003 CoIWMP. No comments were received during this public hearing. The public hearing was continued to October 15, 2003.

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Each public hearing was noticed in the Press Democrat, a newspaper of general circulation, which included where the draft 2003 CoIWMP could be reviewed and the staff contact. In addition, notices of each public hearing was mailed to a list of neighbors, government agencies, and interested individuals. No written comments were received in response to these public notices.